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Corrigendum

The present document contains the corrections made by the delegations and the Secretariat to the English text of the summary records of the meetings held by the Executive Committee of the High Commissioner's Programme at its fortieth session (A/AC.96/SR.437-447).

With the issuance of the present corrigendum, the summary records of the meetings held by the Executive Committee at its fortieth session are to be considered as final.

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438th meeting

Paragraph 82

Delete the sixth and seventh sentences and replace by the following text:

The problem of mass exodus had such proportions that it might be misleading to examine it solely from the viewpoint of integration difficulties in the host country. In case of mass exodus, a more comprehensive humanitarian reaction was needed in order to explore ways and means of preventing it from occurring or from becoming worse if it already existed.

Paragraph 83

In the penultimate sentence, delete "of refugees".

440th meeting

Paragraph 12

In the second sentence, replace "commission of the three" by "commissions of the four".

Paragraph 101

In the first sentence, replace "thirty-eighth" by "thirty-ninth".

Paragraph 104

In the penultimate sentence, replace "22,000 Senegalese" by "the Senegalese among the 22,000 persons".

Paragraph 105

In the first sentence, insert "governed by the rule of law" after "As a State".

441st meeting

Paragraph 60

Delete the fifth sentence and replace by the following text:

In view of such a denial, it would be interesting to know who the persons were who had been referred to as "Turks", "Bulgarian citizens of Turkish origin" and "Turkish minority" in all existing relevant international bilateral agreements, documents and Bulgarian declarations issued before the end of 1984, including the statements made by Mr. Zhivkov and reports of Bulgaria submitted to the United Nations Human Rights Committee and the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, and why they had gone to Turkey.

Paragraph 62

In the first sentence, replace "refugees" by "people". In the second sentence, replace "introduction of a visa requirement" by "re-introduction of the visa requirement".

Paragraph 63

In the final sentence, replace "trust" by "rights".

Paragraph 64

In the second sentence, replace "flight of the Turkish minority from Bulgaria" by "plight of the Turkish Muslim minority in Bulgaria".

443rd meeting

Paragraph 83

The name of the speaker should read "Mr. ZHANG Yishan".

444th meeting

Paragraph 80

Delete the final sentence and replace by the following text:

However, the figure of 200,000 refugees, which had been put forward by Mauritania, was surprising since, according to the UNHCR document, the so-called Senegalese constituted only part of the total number of 22,000 persons living in 34 sites.

Paragraph 81

In the penultimate sentence, replace "50,000 refugees, who" by "60,000 refugees, according to a recent note by UNHCR, which".

The final sentence should read as follows:

However, regardless of the financial constraints, the important thing was to relieve the sufferings of thousands of refugees by complying with humanitarian values without forgetting the tissue of common values woven through history and geography, culture and the requirements of law within the inevitable co-operation between the Mauritanian and Senegalese peoples.